BLAME FOR A NOXIOUS LAW.

MERCHANTS' BOARD OF TRADE DODG. ING RESPONSIBILITY.

Public Disapproval Forces It to Disavow Any Share in the Enactment Which Is Causing So Much Annoyance to Travelters-What Collector Bidwell Bas to Say.

The Association for the Discouragement of Uncommercial Travellers, otherwise known as the Merchants and Manufacturers' Board of Trade, has adopted a policy of claiming all the glory, where glory seemed to be coming, and tenying all the blame when blame was the order of the day, for the rifling of passengers' trunks on steamboat piers, in carrying out the \$130 limit tariff law. Like the small boy who points an accusing forefinger and says, "Willie done it." they have now sought to shift the responsibility for the objectionable methods in vogue on the piers, by the following statement:

'In view of the charges made by certain newspapers of this city that the Merchants and Manufacturers' Board of Trade was the author or instiga or of certain regulations governing the examination of the baggage of passengers arriving at this port from foreign countries, in deference to the very many persons who, being unfamiliar with the real facts, may have been misled by the persist-ney with which these charges have been resterated, and anticipating that the real author of the regulation in question would relieve us of the necessity of making this statement, we ber to say that:

"As to the particular regulation which the ostensible oriticisms referred to, this board had nothing whatever to do with its preparation and did not suggest it. In support of this we submit the following extract from a letter

we submit the following extract from a letter sent to George R. Bidwell, Esq.. Collector of the Port of New York, on Feb. 1:
"The Hes. George R. Bidwell, Cellector.
"DEAN SIN: The first time that any of the members of the Merchants and Manufacturers Board of Trade knew of the new regulation comeciling tourists to make a list of their European purchases, &c.. was when they were informed by you on the way to Washington to attend Congressman Dinzley's funeral. You told us of the plan and said that you would recommend it to the Secretary of the Treasury. The board does not want the credit of this."

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"To this letter we have no reply. We submitted stlently to the unjust attacks which have been made upon us because our position did not require defence, and we only issue this statement because we feel that certain persons who either favor free trade or are ignorant of the real facts are entitled to this explanation."

Collector Bidwell returned yesterday from Washington, where he had been in the interest of the bill for the erection of a new Custom House building in this city upon the Bowling Green site. He said that he might go to Washington again to-night. When he returns he proposes to make public a statement regarding the enforcement at this port of the clause in the Dingley tariff which has made all the trouble.

enuse in the Dingley tariff which has made all the trouble.

"No. I haven't answered the letter of the Merchants and Manufacturers' Board of Trade," said he yeste'day, "I didn't know that any one had accused them of formulating the regulations. That was the work of the Treasury Department. The public doesn't understand the law well. Very few people know the regulations governing the handling of baggage. The statement which I purpose giving out will explain fully our construction of the law and the duties of insiectors in examining baggage. There will be no modification of the law recommended in ft. I do not wish to get into any controversy with the Merchants and Manufacturers' Board of Trade, but there is no denying that they have displayed great activity in looking after the enforcement of the law. Their detectives and inspectors interfered with our work to such an extent that I had to exclude them from the olers. We have no choice but to enforce the law, which is plain upon the face of it."

Collector Bidwell said that his trip to Washington was solely in relation to the new Custom House.

SMALLPOX IN THE SOUTH.

A Soldier from Porto Rico Ill-A Priest Caught It While Administering Unction. SAVANNAH, Ga., Feb. 25.-The solitary case of smallpox which has developed in the Sixth Immune Regiment has been carefully isolated. and there is no danger of the disease spreading, either among the troops or citizens. The soldier who is suffering from smallpox is Corporal Baker of Company E. He became infected while in Porto Rico with his regiment There is absolutely no danger of the disease spreading, as the Corporal is now confined in the pesthouse, four miles from the city and

the pesthouse, four miles from the city and several miles from his regiment. The disease made its appearance on the 22d and no one else has had it.

Dallas, Tex., Feb. 25.—Father Hartwell, a well-known Catholic priest, was taken with smallpoxiast night. He and other priests are quarantined at the chapels in connection with the Sacred Heart Church on Bryan and Masten streets. Father Hartwell caught the disease while administering extreme unction to two dying patients in the Dallas pesthouse.

The disease continues to spread over the city. The United States regular army recruiting station has temporarily suspended enlistments and the city and county jail have stopped receiving ordinary prisoners, but are confining parties arrested for minor offences in a temporary prison provided outside the city limits.

The smallpox epidemic shows no abatement over the State.

TO CONTROL SILK THREAD?

A Connecticut Company Acquiring 85 Per Cent, of the Manufacturing Interests.

New London, Conn., Feb. 25.-There has been filed in the office of the Secretary of State in Hartford certificates showing that the American Silk Manufacturing Company of New London has increased its capital stock to \$12,500,-000, divided into \$5,000,000 preferred 6 per cent. stock and \$7,500,000 common stock. The corporation has a special charter. It is expected that it will acquire the property of nearly-all the companies and firms engaged in the silk-thread business. The company aiready has practically arranged for the purchase of the plants and assets of the Nonotuck Silk Company of Forence, Mass. the Brainard & Armstroug Company of New London, Belding Brothers & Co. of Rockville, Conn., and Northampton, Mass. the Bichardson Silk Company of Chicago, the Carbon-Currier Company of San Francisco, William B. Hackenburg & Co. of Philadelphia, the Winsted Silk Company of Mount Carmel, Conn. By the acquisition of Messet Companies the new corporation will control 85 per cent of the silk thread and embroidery Justiness in the United States, and negotiations are in progress for the purchase of the plants of the other corporations. cent. stock and \$7,500,000 common stock. The

FLIGHT OF GEORGE CERPATIS.

A Counterfeiter of Shamokin Made Money to Be Circulated Here.

SHAMORIN, Pa., Feb. 25,-George Cerpatis, a New York counterfeiter, after operating here since last October, left town with his wife and two children last evening. Five hours later United States Secret Service agents started in pursuit. Cerpatis opened a watchmaking establishment here, but he spent the best part of the days and nights in a den in the cellar. the days and nights in a den in the cellar, which was well fitted up with moulds presses and appliances for plating. A few days ago Cerpatis: became fearful and made hurries arrangements to depart. John Clifford, the fandlord, learned hat evening that his tenant had gone. Upon examining the cellar Clifford found hidden in a double foor \$400 in \$10 and \$5 pieces, and \$1, 50-cent, and 10-cent pieces. He notified the suthorities, who wired the particulars to the United States Commissioner at Williamsport. He sent men in chase of Cerpatis, who it is thought sent the spurjous coin he made here to confederates in New York. It is supposed that he went to New York.

ALBANT, Feb. 25.-Announcement was made at the Adjutant-General's office to-day that Col. H. P. Stacpole had resigned his commission as Lieutenant-Colonel of the First Regiment, National Guard, and has been reassigned by National Guard, and has been reassigned by Brig.-Gen. Oliver as Major of the Tenth Battalion, the place he occupied on the outbreak of the Spanish war. An order has also been issued announcing the resignation of Major Charles E. Davis as Surgeon of the First Regiment and his return to duty as Captain and Assistant Surgeon of the Tenth Battalion. The only two regiments officers of the First Regiment as a State National Guard organization that remain in commission are Col. Thomas H. Barber of New York, who was made a Brigadler-General of Volunteers, and Chaplain Schwartz.

The Glacier Out of Commission The Glacier, which was used as a refrigerat-ing ship during the war, went out of commis-sion yesterday at the navy yard.

effeve that it is especially adapted to do your advertising?

Because in all New York there is no man of property, no man of real substance, no citizen of standing and of honorable ambition who does not read the buy, - Adv. SLEUTHS NAB HIGHWAYMEN.

Were Robbing a Laborer When the Detec tives Arrested Them.

While Detectives Gilday and Kerr of the Central Office were at Broadway and Thirty-sixth street early yesterday morning they saw four men acting in a suspicious manner. They followed them to Forty-second street and Ninth avenue, where one of the men left the party. The other three began to examine the saloon on the corner with the evident inten-

tion of "tapping the till."

Gilday and Kerr separated and took stations about a block away. Thomas McGann, a la

about a block away. Thomas McGann, a laborer, of 4:5 West Thirtieth street, happened to be massing. He was seized by the three men. While two of them sat on him the third searched his pockets.

At a siven signal the two sleuths descended on the robbers. Two of them were captured, but the other escaped, McGann's pocket-book, containing \$1, was found on one man, but his watch and chain went with the third who got away. At Police Headquarters the men said they were John Murray, 52 years old, a painter, of Ninth avenue and Fortieth street, and John Reilly, 18 years old, a plumber, of 440 West Thirty-sixth street. A bunch of keys, some of them skeleton, was found in Murray's pocket.

John H. Prichard, a trunk manufacturer of Twenty-third street and Sixth avenue, went to Headquarters yesterday to recort the theft of his gold watch and chain on Friday. The two men were shown to him, and Frichard identified Reilly as the man who had held him up in front of his home, 337 West Forty-fifth street.

WOMAN'S LETTERS TO CARTOONIST. Homer Davenport Complains of Lillian Lewis-Case Dismissed.

"Homer Davenport against Lillian Lewis" called out Policeman Lieber in the West Fifty-fourth Street Police Court yesterday morning when the time came for hearing sum-To the name of "Homer Davenport" a young

man with pale-blue eyes and a blond mustache responded. He said that he was an artist. He accused the Lewis woman of sending him threatening letters and calling him a thief,

him threatening letters and calling him a thief. Then he produced a stack of letters and tried to have them read in coart, but Magistrate Deuel refused to touch them.

The woman said that the letters were not threatening.

"This man," she said, "has tried to make me believe that he is a detective. A certain woman has slandered me and I wrote to remonstrate. In reply to some of my letters this man came to my flat at 262% West Twenty-fourth street and tried to choke me."

The complainant said that he had several witnesses, but they were not allowed to testify. Magistrate Deuel got rid of the esse by telling the artist and his friends and his enemies to leave each other alone and to ge home. When asked if he was Homer Davenport, the newscaper cartoon artist, the complainant said that he was "Albert Davenport, an artist." To Policeman Jordan of the Court squad he said that he was "Homer Davenport of 327 West Thirty-first street, the man who had made caricatures of Mark Hanna.

The Lewis woman said that his name was Albert V. Hussenett.

NURSE TAKES DOCTOR TO COURT. Says His Charge Is Insane and Moneyless

and Has Him Committed. Dr. Alexander T. Stuart of Toronto was taken to the Yorkville Court yesterday on the complaint of James Works, a nurse, that the physician was insane, was without money and was not capable of taking care of himself. The nurse said that the doctor was a victim of the morphine habit and that his relatives in Toronto had decided to send him to Scotland, his native country, to have him cared for there.

His ticket had been bought, but the steamship would not take him because of his condition. Works took the doctor to Bellevue Hospital and to several other hospitals, he said, but they would not receive him as a patient.

Dr. Stuart told Magistrate Fool that he was capable of taking care of himself if allowed to go. He said he had accepted an offer to go as shin's surgeon on a vessel about to sail for the West Indies. He declared that he was not insane, but was of a very nervous temperament, and was in the habit of taking small doses of morphine for a disease he was troubled with His relatives apparently wanted to get rid of him, he said.

Magistrate Pool committed him to Ballsyn. would not take him because of his condition. Magistrate Pool committed him to Bellevue Hospital for examination as to his sanity.

HELD FOR ABDUCTION.

Italian Barber Takes a German Girl from a Ball and Holds Her in His Shop.

Mrs. Knussman of 1291 First avenue reportd to the police of the East Sixty-seventh street station on Thursday that her daughter, Barpara, 15 years old, had gone to a dance the night before and had since disappeared. She said the dance was held in a hall in East 107th

said the dance was seed in a half in East 107th street, and her daughter had gone there with another girl, who had returned home early that night.

The girl came home on Friday, and on her complaint John Lonongo, a barber, at t410 East 147th street, with whom she had left the dance, was arrested. He implicated Gabriel Barth, a butcher, of 3044 Third avenue. Both were arraigned in the Yorkyille Court yesterday, charged with abduction. raigned in the Yorkville Court yesterday, charged with abduction.

The girl sail that the barber had given her wine to drink and had then assaulted her and had kept her in a room back of the barber shop trying to persuade her to go to live in a disorderly house kept by an Italian in East 113th street. She refused, and, getting out of the place on Friday, she went home.

Magistrate Pool held Lonongo in \$5,000 bail and Barth in \$2,000 bail for examination on Tuesday. The girl was committed to the care of the Gerry society as a witness.

The Sheriff received another execution yesterday against the Fitts, Frary & Hampson Company, stock brokers, of 50 Broadway, for \$143, in favor of George B. Wood. On Oct. 26 last the company gave a chattel mortgage on the office furniture and fixtures for \$25,000 to E. M. Harlem.

The Sheriff received an execution yesterday against Charles B. Towns & Co., stock brokers, of 32 Broadway, for \$124, in favor of Edward R. Henderson. The firm gave a bill of sale on the office furniture on the 17th inst. for \$00 to 8. B. Sturdevant.

Oliver H. P. Cornell of 23 Park row has filed a petition in bankruptey, with liabilities \$23, 707 and no assets. Among the creditors are F. C. Cornell of Ithaca, N. Y., \$5,215; estate of E. A. Cornell, thaca, \$3,00; Alonzo B. Cornell, Ithaca, \$240; W. J. Arkell, \$4,000 for loans in 1896; Simpson, Crawford & Simpson, \$2,887. against Charles B. Towns & Co., stock brokers,

Fear Contaminated Drinking Water.

HAZLETON, Pa., Feb. 25.-Fear of a possible epidemic of typhoid fever has induced the city authorities to forward samples of water from the Hudsondale reservoir, by which the city is the Hudsondale reservoir, by which the city is parity supplied with drinking water, to the State Board of Health. The local Board of Health recently received many complaints of the water, and the health officer was sent to make an investigation of the source of supply. He found that the contents of an abandoned dam, with old lumber and other decaying material, had got into the reservoir, and that in its course to the city the water received the flowings of barnyards.

Lifness That Puzzled the Physicians. RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 25.-A puzzling illness visited nurses and patients at the Retreat for the Sick here a few days ago. The institution has two resident physicians, and all the has two resident physicians, and all the physicians in the city practice there. At the same hour, a number of the nurses were seized with pains in the back and head and went into delirium. While in this state several cried out that hot metal or sami was being poured down their backs. It became necessary to put some of the nurses in strattackets to prevent violence to themselves. The physicians were baffled and the illness remains a mystery. The sufferers have all recovered except one nurse.

Banquet to Soldiers.

PLATTEBURG, N. Y., Feb. 25 .- A banquet was tendered Major F. H. E. Ebstein, Nineteenth Infantry, and the officers of the Twenty-first Infantry, and the officers of the Twenty-first Infantry, U. S. A., who were stationed at Plattsburg prior to the Spanish war, at the Arcade this evening. The occasion was the promotion of Major Ebstein in recognition of his services when in command of the regiment in the trenches before Santiago. Great regret was felt that Gen. Chambers McRibbin, formerly Colonel of the regiment, who was made Brigadier-General forconspleuous gallantry on the field, was unable to be present. Major Quinby of the First Infantry was among the guests.

Mail Swindlers Arrested.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 25.-Edward and Stephen House, brothers, were arrested last night in Madison county, charged with using the mails with a purpose to defrand. It is charged that they have obtained thousands of dollars' worth of goods on bogus credit from wholesale designs all over the country. They were taken to Mount Vernon for trial, where H. D. Lakes, an alleged accomplice, is also in juil.

ONE DAY'S TESTIMONIALS.

The Following Came to the Ripans Chemical Company on Monday, February 20th, 1899. Those Who Doubt the Genuineness of These Commendations of Ripans Tabules Are Recommended to Select the One Nearest or Most Accessible and Write for Verification. A Personal Interview Would Be Still

Better. Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, a 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

NOTHING HELPED HER BUT BIPANS. NOTHING HELPED HER BUT RIPANS.

Mrs. Kate McGuire, a seamstress, aged thirty-seven years, living at No. 5701 Colorain av., Station A. Cumminsville, Cincinnati, Ohio, writes under date of February 14, 1892; "As I have been a sufferer form atomach trouble for many years I have taken many remedies, but found none to help me as Ripans Talunies did. I was relieved with the first bot, and now can say several boxes cur d me. The Tabules were recommended to me by a lady friend, who was also cured, and I will send you her ledimontal in a few days. Would advice any person suffering with any kind of stomach frouble to take Ripans Tabules and be cured.

Eyery druggist sells B-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

AS GOOD AS ANYTHING. The manager of the Standard Pharmacy, 100 Henry st., New York, says, February 20, 1800; "Ri pans Tabules go well; as good as anything." Every druggist sells R-i-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, of 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

HAD WATER BRASH FOR FOUR YEARS MAD WATER BRASH FOR FOUL YEARS.

Mr. Franklin, P. Miffin, Jr., an assistant foreman, twenty-six years old, living at 2520 Gaul st., Philadelphia, writes under date of February 18, 1892.

1 have used Hipans Tabules for about seven menths. I have been subering with headache, sleeplessness and water brash for about four years, I could not get anything to relieve me, and my wife spoke to me in regard to Ripans Tabules, so I gave them a trial and would never be without them, and can't help recommending them highly to all my friends."

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Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

FIRST-CLASS SELLERS.

Mr. N. Naumoff, proprietor of the Commonwealth Pharmacy, cor. Henry and Rutgers st., N. Y., says Feb. 20, 40:
"Ripans Tabules are first-class sellers. My cus-tomers like them. Believe it would be a good scheme for the Ripans Chemical Company to advertise in the Jewisn papers. They seldom read those in Eog-lish." Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

WAS ALWAYS TIRED.

(Hardly able to walk.)

Does all her own housework now.

Mrs. Pauline Bonner, living at No. 1308 New Kirk st., Philadelphia, writes under date of February 20, 1899; "Again I thank you for my health when no doctor could help me. I have spent a big amount of money for nothing, until I heard of Ripans Tabules. I have taken them for two mouths, and feel like a different being altogether. My headache has left me and my bowels inove regular every day. I was always tired, so much that I was hardly able to walk. Ripans Tabules will always be in my home, and I will tell all my friends about them, because I know what good they did me. My husband and my son take Ripans also, and they feel very good, too. They are not troubled with indirection any more but have a good appetite. I am 33 years old and married, and do all my housework, but I was hardly able to do it until two months ago; my laundry thad to send out I was so weak, but, thank God, I am all right now." Every druggist sells R.I.P.A.N.S. 10 for 5 cents, o. 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

AFTER-DINNER CORDIAL.

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Mr. Perry Lukens, Jr., a newspaper representative with dangerous tendencies, living at 201 West 78th st., New York city, writes under date of February 20, 189u;

"At the finish of a midnight supper after an evening's session of the festive game of 10-cent limit in an upper west side apartment, I asked a gentleman which cordial he preferred. He declined with thanks and said, 'I carry my own after-dinner "cordial" in the shape of "Ripans Tabules." Thege he proceeded to pass around. The members of that poker game are now all firm believers in 'Ripans' and use the after-dinner liqueirs no longer." Mr. Lukens also added in a post-cript the statement: "I might say, by the way, that the gentleman who carried the 'Ripans' was a big winner that night."

Every druggist sells R-1-P-A-N-8, 10 for 5 cents, or Every druggist sells R-I-P.A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

THEY ARE A GREAT THING. Mr. I. Friedman, Deutsche Apotheke, No. 178
Henry st., N. Y., saya, Feb. 20, 1e90:
"Why, Ripans Tabules sell fine. There is not a
better selling thing on the whole market. They are
a great thing for stomach and towel disorders, dyapepsia, billousness and constipation and the like.
At least my customers say so." Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

INDIGESTION FOR FIFTEEN YEARS. Ars. Bennett, living at No. 329 Jarvis at., Philadelphia, writes under date of February 13, 1899; "Lutter praise Ripans Tabules very highly. I have had indication for fifteen years, and one of my friends advised me to try Ripans Tabules, which I did, and before I had taken three packages I felt like a new woman and could eat my meals without any trouble. Please use my name for testimonials."

Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

WANTS A 10-CENT PROFIT ON A 5-CENT SALE. The manager of Bakst Bros.' Pharmacy, 249 Benry et., N. Y., says, February 20, 1899: "We have Ripans Tabules in Stock and have to sell them when customers call for them. We don't sell them when customers call for them. We don't encourage the sale of Ripans by recommending them. The Ripans Chemical Company are engaged in a grab game with the druggists, gobbling up all there is on profits, and that's all there is to it." Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

HAD WEAK SPELLS AND GOT REAL

FAINTY.

Feels agreat deal stronger.

Miss Margaret Wagner a young lady whose occupation is homework, and 23 years, living at 1424.

N. Camac at., Philadelphia, writes under date of February 18, 1899; "I have been greatly troubled with indigestion and dyspepsia and for over one year or more I was so ill I would take weak spells and get real fainty at times; also was greatly troubled with my head and could hardly sleep at night, as I would feel as if something was pressing my heart off. I also had heartburn terrible, and words cannot express how bad I felt. I tried seve, all of the best doctors in the city and none seemed to help me. I met a friend of mine, who told me about R pans Tabules, and I bought some and gave them a trial and can say they have helped me wonderfully. I feel a great deal stronger and have also gained ten pounds, and I can eat anything now. I would take one Tabule at bedtime and feel like a different person. I tell my friends that suffer from any stomach or heart trouble about them. You may use this testimonial if you like."

Every druggist sells B-LP-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents. TOO MUCH FOR THE MONEY.

A clerk at W. Tulchinsky's Pharmacy, No. 63 Canal at., New York, says, February 20, 1889;

"Ripans Tabules are a good thing. There is as much medicinal value in one of the carton's 10 tabules for 5 cents as in many of the dollar varieties of medicine.

Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents. GIVE STRENGTH FOR THE NEXT DAY.

Mrs. Mary Wollrath, a housekeeper, 50 years of age. living at No. 618 Fassom st., Philadelphia, writes under date of February 19, 1899; "I have used Ripans Tabules for the last year and more for sick headache and biliconsess. I will never forget how often I was urged to try lipans Tabules, but did not think they would do me any good, and, at last, I had one given to me by a friend after I had taken dinner with her, and in the evening before I left for home, she gave me another one and said I should get a sample bottle for 5 cents. I then tried two bottles and began to think they were doing me very little good, but though I would give them a thorough trial and kept on using them regularly, and now I can say they have done me more good than I ever thought they would and can recommend them to any one, but give them a thorough trial the same as I did. I also give them for my children off and on. I am compelled to do my own housework, and when I feel weak and tired I take a Ripans Tabule before going to bed, and it seems to give me strength for the next day. I am wory thankful that my friend forced me to try them, and I try to always have then on hand. You can publish this testimonial, and I hope Ripans Tabules will do ethers as much good as they have me."

Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for Scents, or 12 five-cetup packets for 48 cents. GIVE STRENGTH FOR THE NEXT DAY

Every druggist sells R.I.P.A.N.S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

FORTY-SIX PER CENT. PROFIT IS NOT ENOUGH.

Mr. L. T. Cherry. Pharmacist, No. 104 Canal st., N. Y., says Feb. 20, 1839;
"I don't sell more of anything than I do of Ripans Tabules. I wish I did. I don't think we get fair treatment by the Ripans Chemical Company fixing the besies of profit at almost nothing." Every druggists lis B.I.P.A.N.S. 10 for 5 cents, o 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents. NEVER KNEW WHAT A GOOD NIGHT'S

NEVER KNEW WHAT A GOOD NIGHT'S SLEEP WAS.

Peels Quits Himself Again.

Mr. William Fish, a famor, thirty-sight years old, living at Collingswood, N. J., writes under date of Fobruary 17, 1850: "For the last ten years I have been troubled with dryspepsis, torpid liver and constitution and have counsiled with three physicians and have liad no relief, only temporary. I read divertisement of Ripans Tabules in the "Philadelphia Record, and seeins so many different testimonial; thought I would give them a trial. I purchased a fitty-cent box and the beneath I received from them was felt almost instantaneously. I noticed first their effects upon my bowels and next my sleep, as before using them I never knew what a good night's sleep was, but since using the Taoules I feel quite my old self again. I cannot speak too highly of the Tabules. My parents now are using them and I would not be without them in the house. I feel I owe my present condition to their beneficial results."

Every druggist cells B.I.P.A.N.S. 10 for 5 cents, or Every druggist solls B.I.P.A.N.S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

A BIGGER PROFIT IS DESIRABLE. Mr. Paul Zimmerman, Pharmaciat, Druggist and Importer, No. 41 Bowery, N. Y., says Feb. 20, 1899; "It is certainly keeping within bounds to say that

Every druggist sells B-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

ENTIRELY CURED. Miss Mamie E. Graff, a pupil of Hunter Girl's Grammar School fourteen years of age, living at 2016 Dreer st., Philadelphia, writes under date of Peb. 20, 18-19: "I suffered from siok headache, dizziness, and constipation, and by taking Riyaus Tabuls am entirely cured. I started to take them about four months ago, and am certainly chankful there is such a medicine as Ripans Tabules. I am willing to have this published." Every draggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

PUSHES THEM RIGHT ALONG. Mr. A. S. Stonim, Pharmacist, No. 122 Heater et., N. I., says February 20, 1899; "Ripans Tabules sell well. They are a good thing and we are willing to push them along by recom-mending them to customers." Every druggist sells H-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

RECOMMENDS THEM FOR HEADACHE. Mrs. 6. W. Pike, living at No. 717 Prospect st., Brooklyn, N. T., writes under date of February 10, 1890: "I have been a great sufferer from headands for years, and I have used Ripans Tabules and find them all you recommend them to be. I have given them to my friends that have comparised of having headaches and they have all bought them. My daughter also has been a great invalid from headache and stomach troubles, and it gives me great pleasure to recommend the Tabules to her."

Every druggist sells R I-P-A-N 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

PUTTING IT MILDLY. Mr. Matthew Bregovsky, pharmacist, No. 60 Forsyth st., New York, says, February 20, 1860: "To say that Bipans Tabules sell well is putting it mildly. Bromo-seltzer is the only thing that sells better. When I tell you that the druggists' profits are three times as large on bromo-seltzer you may guess the reason. As far as the ingredients of Ripans Tabules are concerned, they are good right through, from rhubarb, signifying R, to soda, represented by S. Ripans Tabules would sell even better if more inducement were offered to druggists to push them."

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SUCH A TIGHTNESS AFTER EATING.

(Ripans always give relief.)

Mrs. Wilson, a housekeeper, forty-five years old, living at No. 2047 North 36 st., Philadelphia, writes under date of February 19, 10:09: "I have funished my dinner and have just taken one of Ripans Tabules, and could not get along without them, as they always give me such relief. I have found two more friends who are giving them a trial, and they see what good they have done me. I am sure I will try and recommend them to every one I can if they are suffering from the same cause as I was. I was a sufferer so long and was deprived of a great many things to eat, but now I can eat anything. It was my niece, annie Geriess, who told me of them first. I had not been taking them any longer than a month until I could feel a different feeling. After I would finish my meals I would have to lousen my dress. I was all smothered up, and such a tightness I could scarcely breathe. Indeed, I am willing for you to publish my name, and do hope and pray that they may give to others who use them the same relief they give me. I never ate a meal unless I would have to run quick as soon as I finished and throw it all up. I am very thankful for your Tabules in relieving me. I shall de all I can in recommending them to others, for indeed there is many a one who would be glad to have relief if they only knew of them.

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A ciek at Gibert's Wholesale and Retail Pharmacy, No. 527 Grand st., N. Y., says Feb. 20, 'pu; "Our last Grder was for 50 gross of Ripans Tabules. Shows that there is a demand for them, does it not? This order is almost closed out and according to the tate the sale of Ripans Tabules is increasing we may fave to double up on our next consignment. Nothing sells better than Ripans. Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, o 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

KEEP THE BOWELS WELL REGULATED. Mr. Lewis B. Smith, 40 years old, living at No. 19 Astor place, Jersey City, N. J., writes under date of F-bruary 19, 1999. "I will tell you what Ripans Tabules have done for me. I have been troubled for the last five years with violent nervous headache, I am a messenger for Dodd & Childs Express R. R. the last five years with violent nervous heariache. I am a messenger for Dodd & Childs Kupress R. R. Depot, Jersey Cliy, and one morning a little over one year ago I met another messenger and I had one of those vicient headaches, and he had some of Ripans Tabules in he pocket and wanted me to try them. I did, and will say I have mover been without them since and do not have the headaches half so often as I used to, and when I feel them coming on I start right away to take the Tabules, which breaks them up. I used to use bromo-seltzer, but since I have used the Tabules I never think of bromo-seltzer any more. My wife is 38 years old and is troubled with headache and indigestion, and we keep a box of the Tabules in the house, and they are the only things that help her. The Tabules relieve a person of that heaviness in the stomach and keep the bewels well regulated, and I woud not be without them in my family. I am willing to have my name mentioned for the benefit of others, who will not be without them if they will only give them a trial, and I am saying this from experience."

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TO MAKE THE DRUG BUSINESS A KLON-

DIKE.

A clerk at S. Abraham's Pharmacy, No. 562 Grand st., New York, says, Feb. 20, 1899;

Ripans Tabules sell first-rate, a pretty good line on the fact that their virtues are appreciated by customers. If all other medicines sold as well the drug business would be a Klondike." Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

HAD TO LEAVE HER WORK.

Mrs. K. Muller, twenty-four years old, living at 1114 Day st., Philadelphia, writes under date of Feb. 19, 1896; "For the last ten years I have been suffering with dyspepsia, sour stomach, and sock headache. At time I got so dizzy I had to leave my work and lie down. A lady friend teld me to try a fivecent package of Rigars "Analysis. my work and he down. A lady friend to have try a five-cent package of Ripans Tabules, and before I had used nee of the five-cent packages I was feeling a great deal better. I am now feeling so well that I forget my past suffering, but I still keep on taking one Tabule after each meal as a precation against another attack. I recommend hipans Tabules wherever I am as a wonderful medicine, and write this so you may use it if it is of use to you in advertising the medicine."

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Mr. Otto Jafnel, Pharmacist, No. 118 Broome st.,
N. Y., says, February 20, 1899; "Ripans Tabules are
by all odds the best selling thing in my store. They
are all right, too. You see in me a living testimonial
of their curative powers in sickness. Several weeks
ago when the grip was raging I contracted the discase and was oblided to take to my bed, a pretty sic
man. I immediately bethought myself of the Ripans
Tabules, took the prescribed number, and in three
days was back again in the store as lively ass acricked.
The Tabules did the trick. Will vouch for their
merits with the grip as well as for biliousness and
dyapepsis, for as a gentle tonic and catharic they
perform the office allotted to them in any disease."

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STOMACH WAS ALL OUT OF ORDER. Mr. Wm. Evans, fifty years of age, and Posmastter of Cranberry Centre, Wis., writes under date
of February 20, 1899: "I have been troubled for
four or five years with indigestion, flattiency and
other disorders arising from a disordered stomach,
and have tried several so-called remedies with no
good results. Seing Ripans Tabules so highly spoken
of in the 'Gheago Record' I decided to give them a
trial and could see a decided improvement in my
case from the first, and I still continue using them
for my family and myself. I have used them about
two months, and have mone of the old bas feelings."
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IMPROVING RIGHT ALONG. The Manager of The Diamond Pharmacy, No. 86 Rivington st., New York, says, Feb. 20, 1939; "Bipaus Tabules sell well with us and their sales are improving right along." Every druggist sells B-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

COULD EAT NO MEAT. Mr. James Phillips, a conductor on the Milwaukee R. R., living at 328 Twenty-second av., Milwaukee, Wia., writes under date of February 17, 1800. "I feel it my duty to you and my fellow men to recommend Ripans Tabules to all sufferers from stomach troubles. I have suffered for six years with my stomach, and after eating my meals I would have pains for hours after and gould eat no meat. Working in the cars it is very hard to keep my stomach in a good order, but by the aid of Ripans Tabules I have been able to do my work without the loss of time by alckness and can eat everything. You may use this for advertisement if you wish."

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Every druggist solls R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents. NOTHING ELSE COMES NEAR THEM A clerk at Mr. 1. Lewin's pharmacy, No. 180 Rivington st., New York, says, February 20, 1849:
"There is nothing in our store that we have anywhere near as many calls for as Ripans Tabules. They sell tip-top, pretty good evidence that our customers like them."

Every drugg at sells B-I-P-A-N-8. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents. THOSE "TORMENTORY" HEADACHES

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Mrs. F Smith, employed in a mill, living at 1905
Mutter st., Philadelphia, writes under date of February 18, 18291 "Pardon me for sending you this
testimonial of the famous Ripans Tabules, as I have
been prompted by a feeling of gratification which I
owe to their famous cures. Having been employed
throughout my life in a mill, the constant and unceasing click click of the looms ringing all day long
in my ears subjected me to a very painful headache
a d dizziness in the head which, when coupled with
other troubles, contrived to make life missrable. I
lost all ambition, all energy, and became even melaucholy. The dir incess an pain in the head was at
times so intense that it be came almost unbearable,
when, thanks to a friend's advice. I took to trying
the famous Ripans Tabules with an effect almost
marvellous. The directness of the head has almost
entirely left me, and I no longer surfer those formentory headaches. A cure has been entirely effacted, and I can now go to my looms with pleasure,
and am oblivious to the former noise. My gratitude
at being quired has knowked from me this testimonial,
which I hope may reach far and near to all those
suffering as I did."

Every druggist sells B-I-P-A-N-B, 10 for 5 cents, or

Every druggist sells B.I.P.A.N.S. 16 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 45 cents. WHEN HE IS POSITIVELY OBLIGED TO Mr. J. Kahn, Druggist, No. 68 Rivington st., New York, says, Feb. 20, '901 "I only sell Ripans Tabules when I am positively obliged to. What should I want to sell tham for? There is little advantage Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 45 cents.

THANKED GOD FOR THEM.

Mrs. Susannah Rote, a married woman, living at 2557 Adam st. Philadeliphia, writes under date of February 20, 1859; 'For the last turee years I have succeed with d stressing pains around my heart, and there was also considerable beiching of wind with a great many sick beadaches. A morbid feeling took possession of me that I would never be cured, but my husband, who is a Sergeant of police and who had been taking Ripans Tabules, induced me actus succh argument to buy them. I was always opposed to anything that savored of patent medicines, but before a month had clapsed I hanked God for Ripans. I have no more pains at my heart, and the wind beliching has atopped entirely. I sometimes have a sick neadachey i but a Ripans Tabule always alleviates it, and I believe that in another month I shall be agairate cured. Many people with whom I am acquainted are also deriving much benefit from Ripans Tabules, and the drug clerk says that Ripans is the only medicine in prepared form they are selling. I trust that this testimonial may prove of benefit to other women who are in my plight."

Ever druggist sells B-I-P-A-N-S, 10 for 5 cents, or THANKED GOD FOR THEM.

Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 45 cents. SELL VERY GOOD.

Mr. Henry J. Roff. Druggist, No. 70 Rivington st., R. Y., says Feb. 20, '00: 'Espans Tabules sell very good. Nothing in the way of patent medicines sells better.'

Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

EVERYTHING GOT DARK BEFORE HIM. EVERYTHING GOT DARK BEFORE HIM.

Mr. Samuel Jackaway, who is 55 years old and
works in a dye house, living at 2339 Almond st.,
Kensington, Philadelphia, writes under date of Feb.
19, 1899: "About five years ago I was taken with
distincts in the head and tried most everything that
I was told to, but got no relief. About six months
ago my sister told me about Ripans Tabules. She
had taken them and they helped bef, so I bought a
package of them and found they gave me relief, so I
lave been taking them ever since. My feelings were
wien I would get up I would get they belings were
wen I would get up I would get they do I would the
would fall if I would not get hold of something; but
thanks for the Tabules, I think that I sin cursed and
would not be without them. You can use my name
for reference if you want to."

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AN ANTIDOTE FOR NEW ENGLAND

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Mr. Moss Randall, living at 201 West 78th st., New York city, writes under date of February 20, 1889; "Some of the members of our family enjoy a good old-fashioued boiled dinner, which by the epicure with the dainty stomach is considered vulgar. But we cat with impunity cor; ab berfand cabbage and other boiled vegetables. We take one Ripans Tabule after partaking of this homely but enjoyable meal, and sleep like a top on it. The boiled dinner has been linaugurated in our family and sorved at least once a week since Ripans Tabules have come into use in our household.

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A PRESENT RUSH ON RIPANS.

A clerk at Mr. Otto Koehler's pharmacy, No. 10
Rivington st., N. 1., says, February 20, 1830: "The
spring weather of the last turee days is giving us a
rush on tipans Tabules. Our customers appreciate
the need of a good suring medicine. This is aimost
the need of a good suring medicine. This is aimost
a new establishment, beginning business six or eight
months ago, and we sell a gross of the cattens now
to adozen when we becan. Our sales prove that our
customers are pleased. An old doctor living in the
neighborhood is one of the loudest in shouting their
praises. He thoroughly understands the preparation
of medicine, but saves himself the trouble of preparing a concoction by taking Ripans Tabules. In
my opinion they are the best article in the store,"

Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-NS. 10 for 5 cents, or

Mr. W. B. Gorham, a general agent whose address is 778 Lexington ave., Brooklyn. N. Y., writes under date of February 18, 1808: "Some three months ago my wite commenced taking the preparation, Ripans Tabules, and has followed the treatment regularly, and to-day the improvement is more than marked. She had been alling some time vrior to taking the Tabules with stomach trouble, resulting is a disagreeable and trying cough which at times coliminated in blood vemiting. She not being willing to have a physician. I thought to try Ripans Tabules and they have been very effective. Now, no cough, no vomiting, and easy, refreshing sleep. I am writing this as I believe in pushing a good thing along, and if the foregoing can be of any use to you in furthering your good work it will be all the more pleasurable to me." Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, of 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents. SEEMED TO HAVE ALMOST EVERY-

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The process of digestion had almost stopped.
Stomach feels perfectly natural now.

Mr. Isaac L. Ballew, a schoolteacher, twenty-eight years old, living at Abner, Clay Co., Ala., writes under date of February 10, 1899. "I inclose forty-eight cents for twelve cartons Hipans Tabules. Have been using them for stomach tromoles and find them the best thing at all and want to keep them on hand. I have been troubled with indigestion by spells since I was about fourteen years old, sometimes being almost well, but never entirely free from it. During all these years I have tried a lot of dillerent medicines, some helping me while some were not worth much, which has led me to believe that many of these compounds of—you know not what—are worthless. In the spring of 1896 I had a severe attack of indigestion, but finally recovered so as to be able to engage in teaching school. I consulted physicians in different parts of the country, some by correspondence and some by person, and my complaint was called by several different names. I was engaged in teaching last summer and I noticed I would get rather nervous and could not brathe well on account of an oppressive feeling about the chest and stomach at times, and vspecially after hearing recutations in mathematics or any thing requiring close application. Finally, about the last do nave almost everything. I soon got voy weak and despondent. After saing it would seem that I could hardly live. I would have an uneasy feeling in stomach and oppressive breathing. I could not drink any liquids a ciprul and it had to be hot. Cold water seemed to give me more distress than anything clase. Sometimes after taking it there seemed to be a stillness about the stomach as divertised to the pine. I sent for two cartons and after taking alout three doses I seemed to feel better. I felt easier and my atomach seemed to feel better. I felt easier and my stomach seemed to be ober thying scened to help me. I sent for twelve cartons (also the process of digestion h very good meal now and not suffer as I did three months ago. I have also gained in weight. No doubt, if I had Ripans Tabules years ago, when I first commenced suffering from indirection, I would have avoided a lot of suffering and saved a good many deliars that I've paid out for freatment for stomach trouches. I think the Tabules are fine for indigection and can recommend them. I seem to feel better every day and hope to be fully restored to health now. I also had the most obstinate consupation and also something which seemed to be a bladder trouble. I was so sore about the stomach, lowels and bladder that I could not stoop over and could not put on my shoes nor sit in a chair very long at a time without feeling stiff; in fact, for four months did not sit up more than half the time. I was so weak and sore all over, it seemed; but I am glad to say that I can now sit my all day and hardly think of ever being tired, and that terrible soreness has almost entirely disappeared. I am an unported man, and during the past few, years have seen engaged principally teaching school. I will answer any inquiriest stamps for reply are inclosed. You may use this as you see proper, as I have no objections to my name being used as one who has been benefited by Ripans Tabules."

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Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, of 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

FOOD SEEMED TO LAY IN A LUMP.

Mr. Otto V. Bossler, a printer, 2d years of age, living at No. 2665 Fulton at. Brooklyn, N. Y., writes under date of February 20, 1856; "I have been suffering with pains in the stomach for several years. The pain would generally come on after eating and my food seemed to lay on my stomach in a lump and would make me feel like vomiting. At night I could not sleep, and many a night my wife would have to get up and use hot plates to give me a little relief. One day I met a couple of friends who told me to try Ripans Tabules, and after taking them a few days I roted a treat change. I could sleep at night and my food did not seem to by in a lump like it did before I had taken the Ripans Tabules, and it seemed to sirvad all around after the record week and the pants had entirely left me and I began to have a hearty appetite, which I had not had in years. I highly recommend the Tabules to all my friends and freely give my name to be used as you see fit."

Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S, 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents. NOTHING EQUALS THEM. A clerk at Wilkes's Pharmacy, No. 35 Rivington st., New York, says, February 20, 1899; "I can say that R pans Tabules seil nicely. They self the best of anything in the store." Every druggist sells B-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 45 cents.

PREVENTED AN ATTACK OF GRIPPE.

Mr. Louis Weglein, Jr., a confectionery jobber, thirty-three years of are living at vite N. 30th st., Philadel pine, Pa., writes under date of February 19, 1850; "I am fully aware that a great many testimonals of patent medicines are fakes, but the following is an unsolicited test mand as to the beneficial results derived from a five-cent carton of Ripans Tabules. Having had the grope twice I feit that I was especially subject to it. As it became so prevalent here in Philadelphia, almost an epidemic, I expected that I would again get it. During the two weeks previous to the holidays we were very busy, and I was often out till late in the might delivering goods, and during the period I foit that the symptoms of grippe, and droading being laid up in our busiest time I tried as stave it off until December 24th at least, I tried various simple remedies or preventers, but to no avail, and whileservings druggest in West Philadelphia I noticed he had a fresh lot of Ripans Tabules in five-cent sizes, and I saved him if they were any good, as I am very skeptical of medicines. He said they were and I taked him fit they were any good, as I am very skeptical of medicine directions, and I am so pleased with the results that I have told many temple about them since, and they have tried them, all with more of less benefit; and I have not only kept from getting the grippe (up to the present), but have been cursed of a dull headache immediately before getting up in the morning. My brother and partner is a constant smoker. In fact, he would rather smoke than est, or and loss been change for a full headache immediately before getting up in the morning. My brother and partner is a constant smoker. In fact, he would rather smoke than est, or and loss been taking the Tabules and has felt better and lost some destire for smoking so excessively. I wish no netorety, but if this teatmontal is of any benefit to you you can use it with my cheerful consent with my name.

Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 PREVENTED AN ATTACK OF GRIPPE. Every druggist sells R-I-P-A.N.S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

RATHER SEE THEM ROT. Mr. Herman Grasser, pharmacist, No. 40 Stanton st., New York, says, February 20th, 168: "The fewer Ripans Tabutes I sell the better it suits me. They are a good thing, a good combination. I won't deny that, but the Ripans Chemical Company make a mistake in incurring the emity of the drugsists by making the drugsists profit so small. I am obliged to sell the Tabutes when they are called for, but I have a few on hand now, and I don't care if they rot before I sell them."

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A LOAD IN THE PIT OF HER STOMACH. A LOAD IN THE PIT OF HER STOMACH.

Mrs. J. Hinckey, thirty years of age, living at No.
210 Hewes at., Brooklyn, N. Y., writes under date of
February 19, 1899: "For the last three years I have
been a constant sufferer from indigestion, and have
been under the doctor's care for some time, but did
not seem to get any relief whatever, and became
very much discouraged. A friend of mine advised
flipans Tabules, and since taking them I have never
felt better in my life. I have taken the Tabules for
over a month, and must say I can recommend them
to all sufferers from indirection. I had semation
of fulness and a load in the pit of my stomach which
was at once relieved by the use of the Tabules. An
perfectly willing to have my name used for advertising purposes."

Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-B. 10 for 6 sents, or Every druggist sells B-I-P-A-N S. 10 for 5 sents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

CLERK TALKS "PIZEN." A clerk at Mr. Alex J. Swiedler's drug store, No. 51 Rutgers st., New York, says February 20, 1899; "We have Ripans Tabules in stock, but we don't rush them. The profits are too small. We are not in business for our health," Every druggist sells H-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

NO MEDICINE SO GOOD AS BIPANS.

Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

HITS THE RIGHT SPOT.

Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 45 cents. ENJOYS, EASY. REFRESHING SLEEP

NOW.

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TAKES THE CAKE AS A SELLER.

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Mr. Alexander Goldman, Ph. G., corner Monros and Market sts., N. Y., says, February 20, 1899:

"The carton of Ripans Tabules, 10 for 5 cents, tales the cake as a saiable article. There is an erroneous impression some people have that a neitine must stand in the market for 25 cents or 50 cents to be one of merit. Ripans Tabules are a standing illustration that a medicine of value can be compassed within the modest limits of a 10-cent figure, as Ripans sell for 5 cents. Everybody likes to put their bands in their packets for something costing 5 cents rather than 50. The price can't be cut any, either. I like to sell Ripans Tabules. They are neat, clean, and easy to fandle, and with the great popular demand for them there is money enough in them to make them pay."

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FEELING BETTER ALL THE TIME.

40 CENTS BETTER THAN 5.

Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, o

FOOD SEEMED TO LAY IN A LUMP.

A NAUSEOUS FEELING.

Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S, 10 for 5 cents, 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

GAVE HIM MUCH RELIEF.

Mr. Prank J. Hartough, living at 2:10 East Sergeant st., Philadelphia, writes under date of Feb. 19, 1 Subr. "I have been for some time troubled with dryspens a and headaches, and seeing Ripans l'abules advertised in the papers. I thought I would try them and they have given me much retlef. I take much pleasure in recommending them to my friends."
Every druggist sells Rei-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

SO HELP ME GOD, IT'S THROUGH.

Mr. H. Goldstein, proprietor of Henry Pharmacy No. 200 Henry st. New York, says Feb. 10, '99; "We kept and sold B.pan Tabules for a while, but have given them up now. There is too little profit in them." The reporter sent a mossenger to this ator a little later to buy a five-cent packet of Ripans Tab-ules, and they were forthcoming just as quick as Mr. Gollstein saw the color of the nickel.

Every druggist sells E-I P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

DREADED MEAL TIME TO COME

DREADED MEAL TIME TO COME AROUND.

(Can now eat a hearty meal.)

Mrs. A. Willis, a farmers wife, aged thirty five years, living at Boll Falls, Bell County, Texas, writes under date of February 14. I supu: "I have been suffering with indigestion for the past twelve years, and did not give me any relief. Taking up a morning journal one day and seeing Ripans Tabules advertised, I thought I would try them, and the first cartised, I thought I would try them, and the first cartised, I took of them gave me such relief that now I can sit down and eat a hearty meal without any pain, and before I took them I used to suffer so much I dreaded meal time to come around. Now I give the Tabules to my son for kidev trouble. I hope this will do some poor sufferer good and you may use my name. I came here from Now York six years ago."

Every druggist sells R.I.P.A.N.S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five cent packets for 45 cents.

THOUGHT THERE WAS NO RELIEF FOR

A DIFFERENT WOMAN SINCE TAKING BIPANS.

and they gave me railef at once, and ever since I keep them in the house and would not be without them. They have made a different man out of man and I can go about my work and I am not be them with that name borning in my threat and sto us. If these few lines will do you any good to publish you can do so." Mrs. E. J. Seaman, forty-seven years old, living at No. 405 Herkimer at, Brooklyn, N. Y., writes under date of Feb. 16, 1800: "Fir the past four years I have been a sufferer Fim dull headaches caused by stomach disorders, and layer tried shout all the medicines there are for sale, but had not received any relief until I began to use Bipans Tabules, which was about three months ago, and since taking them I have been a different woman. If any one is in coubt in regard to what Bipans Tabules will do for them, refer them to me. If you think this will do any one any good you are at likerty to print or use it as a testimonia."

Every druggist sells B.I.P.A.N.S. 10 for a cants, or Every druggist sells B.I.P.A.N.S. 10 for 5 cents, of 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents. SALES ARE INCREASING IN BROOKLYN.

Mr. Chys. Heimersheim, pharmacist, who owned the dring store correct Central av. and Elderi st. Brooklyn. N. N., said to a representative of the Richard Chemical Company, February 20, 1849; Our selected Glass are representative of the Richard Chemical Company, February 20, 1849; Our selected Glass Chemical Company, February 20, 1849; Our selected Glass Chemical Company, We are selling nearly fifteen gross of the Riversent sort a mouth. We have a glass case this holds three dozen of the five-cent carrons, and it is one of surveying the first case allest, which assually requires our attention move allest, which assually requires our attention moves than once a day. It is not unusual to have customers express their opinion of Ripans Tabules by telling of the good results they have derived from their use. It does not matter much what the trouble is with a person, they will certainly be benefited by the major of Ripans Tabules, for some of the ingredients of Ripans Tabules, for some of the ingredients of Ripans and the results are headaches, constipation, drypensia, and the results are headaches, consti SALES ARE INCREASING IN BROOKLYN. Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents. IT MAKES HIM SAD Mr. Bakai of the firm Goetahoff & Bakat, pharmacista, Mo. 1844 East Broadway and No. 42 Pike at., New York, says, February 20, 1840; "We could sell more of Hipams Tabules than of anything cise in the store if we wanted to; but we don't want to, the protts are too small. The druggists can't be expected to push Ripams Tabules on the present status of profit. If a store of the carjons were sold to the druggists for 35 or 40 cents instead of 48 cents by the dozens, the trade would be favorably disposed to Ripams and would push them accordingly."

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Mrs. E. M. Gerson, a married lady, thirty six years of age, living at 47 Prait et., Hartford, Coom, writes under the date of February 20, 18:0: "While the masses have been blessed with many remedies to help cure numerous steknesses, hone have proven og good and always sure and ready relief as Riyans Tabules. For nve years I have soffered after my meals with ind gestion and headarbes, and about the months ago I was suffering so much I called at my druggist's, hannon Bros., Trumble street, who answered me there was not a better cure on the market than Ripans Tabules. The first box had a tendency to give me some relief, and after I bought another box of the Tabules and made a strict proctace of taking them after each meal. I would not to with-

Mrs. Lizzle Runyau, living at 1048 Line st., Camben, N. J., writes under date of February 18, 1819. They been a great sufferer from indirection and domach trouble until I commenced taking Rip har fabules. I cannot say too much for what they have lone for me and want to tell others what they have lone for me and want to tell others what they have lone for me."

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FEELS LIKE DOING EVERYBODY. (Ripans makes him feel so.)

Mr. Joe Douglass, an tee cream maker, twenty-average of aug. Ilvan at No. 1807 Farmount av., Philadelphia, writes under date of February 19, 1899: "I take Ripans Tabules for dyspepsia and dizziness in my mod. When I cat a light too much I get very unconfords it, but when I take a Ripans why I feel like doing everybody around me, they are so fine. Ripans Tabules are wonderful indeed. I do not buy them in one certain place, but of I have not any with me I buy them at the drag store nearest the place I happen to be, for as soon as they run out I get another for of them. I fully consent to have my name and address used just as you please."

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Mr. John P. Gropp, living at No. 48 Yates St. Victoria. B. C., Canada, writes under date of February 14, 1809: "Inclosed find 48 cents for a full carron of the famuus Ripans Tabnies, same as you sent mabefore in paper loxes. After using quite a number of them I was entirely cured of dyspepsia, but not long ago I got a craving for some English walnuts, and ate quite a number of them, with the result of bringing back that full feeling after eating. The rest of the Tabules I gave to a friend, and they cured him, and, in fa t, I have recommended to quite a number of people, with good results to all of them.

Every dynamic and the property of the second of them. Mr. C. R. Scruton, Registered Pharmacist, No. 46
Market st., N. Y., says, Feb. 20, losis: "Ripans Tabules are unqualifiedly the best seiling patent medicine in my store. The people like it, ani when the
great mars of people of a community make up their
minds that they want something it is something that
hits the right spot. My customers claim great things
for Ripans Tabules in the headache, constipation
and billous line and for heartburn. We sell a gross
a week of the medicine without the slightest difficulty." Every druggist sells B-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

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Mr. James Hope, slxty-five years of age, living as Charleston, W. Va., writes under date of February 20, 1849: "I have been afflicted with sick heads he all my life and have tried many remedies but without much good resulting, and gave up taking authing for a long time until I saw an advertisement of Ripans Tabules in the Farm and Fireside, when E concluded to try one more remedy. I have taken four fifty-cent boxes of the Tabules and think I have benefited by them, so concluded to send 20 cents for one dozen five-cent cartons."

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ALMOST DEAD WITH INDIGESTION.

Mrs. M. Hickman, living at No. 17 Washington av.,

Cramer Hill, N. J., writes under date of February 1.

1899: "I have been using Ripans Tabules for a long
time, and feel as though I could not do without
them. They always do me so much good when I
have sick headache, which I have been subject as
since I was a small child, and I never had anything
to some up to Ripans Tabules for relief. I would
say any one that is constipated, or for sick headschip, they go above surphing I could recommends,
I have told many people about them and now they
cannot do without them. All our family take them,
I told Mrs. Trenton about them, who lives at No.

7 Washington av., when she was almost dead with
ind restion. She used to have spells until she was
black in the face and had the doctor every time she
would be that way. I persuaded her to try one buy
of Ripans Tabules, which she did, and now she luys
them by the 22 cents worth at a time, and I can a instead of costing dollars with doctors it only costs
five cents, and will ever praise the Ripans Tabule a
wherever I go, they have done so much for me, and I
hope others will try them as I have."

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Mrs. Eilen Chaisson, whose address is Upper Neguer, McKnight Post Office, N. B., writes, under date of February 13, 1859; "Inclosed phase mod \$1.00, for which send me Highes Tabules in paper carton. Flease send then right away, as I am about out and I do not like to be without them, as they are doing me a world of good. They are a grand medicine, and I cannot praise them too highly. I have only used fifty Tabules in all, or five cartons, and they cured me of a dreadful pair in my left-side. I am all o troubled with nervousniss and papitation of the heart, but the Tabules are doing me good."

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TEN CENTS' WORTH GAVE RELIEF. Mrs. J. Wetnere, living at Port Washington, L. I., writes under date of February 20, 1888; "I would like to say I have given my daughter Ripans Tabules with the best of results. She has had stong it trouble for the past three years, and two boxes of the Tabules gave relief, and at the cost of only ten cents. I would recommend them to any one."

FEELING BETTER ALL THE TIME.

Mrs. L. E. Walker, a married woman 25 years old, living at 438 Pearl at., Candien, N. J., writes under date of February 18, 1849: "I have a little girl 3 years old and do all my own sewing in connection with household dutien. I have been complaining of headache, pains in the back and a distressing feeling in the stomach and heartlurn after each meal for a secret. My attention was called to litinany Tabules. They netted the property of the stomach and heartlurn and that terrible them a trial, which I did with very good results. They relieved me of the heartlurn and that terrible feeling in the stomach. I thought I had indigestion. The first one gave me relief, and after taking three or four I moliced that I was feeling better all the time, and now it is very seldom I have heartburn, but I still con linus to take one after each meal. I do not have headaches so much and feel better in every way. I recommend them to all my friends, and trust they will be benefited by them also. I am perfectly willing you should use my name and address."

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E. Witt, living at No. 3 East 115th st., New York city, writes under date of February 10, 1890; 'I have taken Ripans Tabules for some time and I find them very beneficial, in fact the first box relieved me already. They strengthen my system and gives me an appetite, at the same time keeping my stomach in good shape. This is a bone fide testimonial and kindly give your attention to R.'

Every druggist sells R J-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents. 40 CENTS BETTER THAN 5.
Mr. Aston Gordon, apethe carr, No. 40 Market st.,
N.Y. says, Feb. 20, 1849:
"If my brother druggists didn't keep Ribans Tabules I wouldn't have them in my store a day. There
is too little profit to be made in them. I do everything I can to discourage their sale. I can fix up a
little preparation of my own of ten tablets, the size
of Ribans Tabules, and sell the whele for 40 cents.
A little better than selling Ripans Tabules, 10 for 5
cents, isn't it?" NO HOUSEHOLD COMPLETE WITHOUT THEM.

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Mr. William J. Olany, living at No. 98 Charles St., New York City, writes under date of February 19, 1890: "I suffered considerable trouble with me back, due to exposure to the cold, and a friend of mine was telling me of the relief he found after taking a few boxes of Ripans Tabules, so I bought a too just to try them, and I will state I received benefit almost immediately, and that is the reas-of I will say again no household is complete without them. I take pleasure in recommending them to all my friends."

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(Ripans give permanent relief.)

Mrs. Lizzie Grater, a Housekeeper, 23 years old,
living at 210 Middelsere street, Glomester, N. J.,
writes under date of Feb. 17, 1818; "I was troubled
with chills for nearly all summer and tred all kinds
of medicine and went to different dectors and they
only cured me for a short time. I tried the Ripans
Tabules and have not been troubled since taking
them. Ye can give my name to any one. I tell
every one that I know has the same complaint I did
to use the Ripans Tabules."

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NEARLY CRAZY WITH PAIN.

A NAUSEOUS FEELING.

Miss E. Rufe, a schoolgr! in her seventh year, living at Teuth st. Fern Rock, Pa., writes under date of February 17, 1800: "Ever since I have been quite small I have suffered with indigestion and headaches. The headaches would come very sudenly, account auted by a nauseous feeling. A school freeld advised me to try Ripans Tabules, as she said she had been benefited by them, and I therefore bought a box and they gave me relief. This was over five months ago, and ever since we have always had the Tabules in the house and do not like to be without them. The Tabules have greatly benefited me, and to siny suffering friends I always advise the use of tipans Tabules. If you think this testimonial will aid you use it."

Every druggist sells R.I.P.A.N.S. 10 for 5 cents, or Miss Marguerite Hayes, sixteen years of age, and emiloped in Lee Brothers' store, living at 1122 Guirrey etc., Philadelphra, write-under date of Feb. 13, 1896; 'Thad been troubled for a ling time with indigestion, and was nearly carry with pain. I was talking to my friend about it, and she recommended the Ripans Tabules to me, and I began taking them and have been cured. Every druggist sells R-I-P-A-N-S. 10 for 5 cents, or 12 five-cent packets for 48 cents.

WANTED.—A case of bad health that R-I-P-A-N-S will not benefit. R-I-P-A-N-S, 10 for 5 cents, or 12 packets for 48 cents, may be had of all drusgists who are willing to sell a low-priced meditine at a moderate profit. They banish pain and profing life. One gives relief. Accept no substitute, Notethe word R-I-P-A-N-S on the package. Send 6 cents to Ripans Chemical Co., No, 10 Spruce St., New York, for 10 samples and 1,000 testimonials.

CLOTHIERS ROBBED

Arrest of a Shipping Clerk and the Man to Whom He Sold the Goods.

Morris Bachrach, 28 years old, of 221 Avenue A, who was formerly employed as a shipping clerk at the clothing store of Leman Brothers at 626 Broadway, was accused before Magistrale Kudiich, at the Centre Street Police Court yesterday, of stealing clothing valued at \$3,000 from his employers. George Weireter, a penmaker at 279 Avenue B, was arraigned at the same time on a charge of having received the stolen goods. For some time past Leman Brothers have missed quantities of clothing. Brothers have missed quantities of clothing. Yesterday Detectives Policek, Doran, and Tinker were sent to look for the guilty person, and arrested Bachrach. He immediately broke down and confessed that he had been robbing his employers for more than a year, and told them where to find the goods.

Welreter admitted that he had received the goods from Bachrach, but said that Bachrach had asked him to form a partnership and had told him that he was buying the clothing at wholesale rates. He said that he had paid Bachrach more than \$1.000 for his interest in the clothing.

The men were held in \$3,000 each for trial.

Rose, the Lioness, Dead and to Be Stuffed. R. W. King, living at 1722 Federal st., Philadelphia, writes under date of February 19, 1899; "I have had dyspeptia or heartburn for twenty years, and I have tried everything every one would tell me but received no relief. One day I told my druggist that I thought there was no relief for me, and then he told me about Ripans Tabulas and I said them